Notification, dated 6th June 1898.

It is hereby notified for public information that the right of collecting Kuranga or whet stones in the Dodballapur taluk during the official year 1898-99, will be sold by public auction on the 15th July 1898 at the office of the 1st General Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore, commencing at 11 A. M.

2. The 1st General Assistant Commissioner will hold the sale.

3. The acceptance of the highest offer will be subject to confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore district.

4. Persons bidding at the sale should state whether they bid on their own account or as agents, and in the latter case should deposit authority signed by their principals; otherwise their bids will be rejected.

5. The purchaser will be required to deposit twenty-five per cent of the purchase money at the time of the sale, and if the remainder of the purchase money, together with the prescribed local cess on the whole amount at one anna in the rupee, be not paid within seven days from the date of his being informed by the 1st General Assistant Commissioner of the confirmation of the sale, the money so deposited shall be liable to forfeiture. If such deposits be not made, or if the remaining purchase money be not paid up, the right shall be re-sold at the expense and risk of the first purchaser.

6. The lessee is not to collect the stones on occupied lands, except with the consent of the occupants, who, however, are not authorized to collect the stones on their lands, or to sell them to any person other than the lessee.

7. The lessee is not to interfere with the grazing rights of the hulbanni izardars or renters of pasture.

8. The lessee is to allow unoccupied lands to be given out for cultivation by Government, reserving to himself the right of collecting the stones wherever found in them.

9. The lessee shall not dig up the lands for the collection of the stones, and if the lands are dug up, shall fill up the pits so as to leave the lands fit for cultivation.

10. The lessee shall not remove the collected material except on a free license granted by the Amildar of the taluk in which the stones were found, specifying the village in which the stone was collected, the quantity in maunds, and the place to which it is to be exported.

B. K. VENKATAVARADAIENGAR, *Dy. Comr.*

KADUR DISTRICT.

Notification, dated 30th May 1898.

It is hereby notified for public information that the right of collecting Kuranga or whet stones in the Kadur district during the official year 1898-99 (from 1st July 1898 to 30th June 1899) will be put to public auction on Thursday the 30th June 1898 at the Deputy Commissioner's office, Chikmagalur, commencing at 11 A. M.

2. The Deputy Commissioner, or an Assistant Commissioner, will hold the sale.

3. The acceptance of the highest bid will be subject to confirmation by the Deputy Commissioner.

4. Persons bidding at the sale should state whether they bid on their own account or as agents, and in the latter case should produce an authority signed by their principals; otherwise their bids will be rejected.

5. The purchaser will be required to deposit twenty-five per cent of the purchase money at the time of sale, and if the remainder of the purchase money, together with the prescribed local cess on the whole amount at one anna in the rupee, be not paid within seven days from the date of his being informed by the Deputy Commissioner of the confirmation of the sale, the money so deposited shall be liable to forfeiture. If such deposits be not made, or if the remaining purchase money be not paid up, the right shall be re-sold at the expense and risk of the first purchaser. He shall make good the loss, but shall not be entitled to any increase in the sale amount.

6. The lessee is not to collect the stones on occupied lands, except with the consent of the occupants, who, however, are not authorized to collect the stones on their lands, or to sell them to any person other than the lessee.

7. The lessee is not to interfere with the grazing right of the hulbanni izardars or renters of pasture.

8. The lessee is to allow unoccupied lands to be given out by Government for cultivation, reserving to himself the right of collecting the stones wherever found in them.

9. The lessee shall not dig up the lands for the collection of the stones, and if the lands are dug up, he shall fill up the pits so as to leave the lands fit for cultivation.

10. The lessee shall not remove the collected material except under a free license granted by the Amildar of the taluk in which the stones were found, specifying the village in which the stone was collected, the quantity to be removed in maunds, and the place to which it is to be exported.

Notice, dated 14th June 1898.

1. Applications are invited for the post of Peshkar of the Kalasa temple in the Mudgere taluk, Kadur district. Pay Rs. 20 per month.

2. Applicants must be pensioners who have held responsible office in Government service and who are in a position to deposit Rs. 500 as security.

3. Applications will be received by the undersigned till 31st August 1898.

F. E. C. CARR, *Dy. Comr.*